

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claim 39 as provided in the following
Listing of Claims:

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Claim 1. (Previously Presented) An apparatus for
providing vehicle information or vehicle maintenance information,
comprising:

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diagnostic information, vehicle repair information, vehicle
maintenance information, and vehicle servicing information;

a receiver for receiving a request for information
regarding at least one of a vehicle problem, a vehicle
malfunction, and a vehicle state of disrepair, regarding a
vehicle, wherein the request for information is transmitted to
the receiver from a communication device, wherein the
communication device is located at a location remote from the
vehicle and remote from the apparatus, and further wherein the
request for information is transmitted to the receiver on or over
at least one of the Internet and the World Wide Web;

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a processing device, wherein the processing device is located at a location remote from the vehicle and remote from the communication device, wherein the processing device processes the request for information regarding at least one of a vehicle problem, a vehicle malfunction, and a vehicle state of disrepair, utilizing the at least one of vehicle diagnostic information, vehicle repair information, vehicle maintenance information, and vehicle servicing information, wherein the processing device generates at least one of a diagnostic report, a repair report, a maintenance report, and a servicing report, in response to the request for information; and

a transmitter for transmitting the at least one of a diagnostic report, a repair report, a maintenance report, and a servicing report, to the communication device, wherein the at least one of a diagnostic report, a repair report, a maintenance report, and a servicing report, is transmitted to the communication device on or over at least one of the Internet and the World Wide Web.

Claims 2-10 (Canceled)

Claim 11. (Previously Presented) A method for providing

vehicle information or vehicle maintenance information,
comprising:

storing at least one of vehicle diagnostic information,
vehicle repair information, vehicle maintenance information, and
vehicle servicing information, in a memory device;

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receiving a request for information regarding at least
one of a vehicle problem, a vehicle malfunction, and a vehicle
state of disrepair, regarding a vehicle, wherein the information
is received by a receiver, and further wherein the request for
information is transmitted to the receiver from a communication
device, wherein the communication device is located at a location
remote from the vehicle and remote from the receiver, and further
wherein the request for information is transmitted to the
receiver on or over at least one of the Internet and the World
Wide Web;

processing the request for information regarding the at
least one of a vehicle problem, a vehicle malfunction, and a
vehicle state of disrepair, with a processing device utilizing
the at least one of vehicle diagnostic information, vehicle
repair information, vehicle maintenance information, and vehicle
servicing information, wherein the processing device is located

at a location remote from the vehicle and remote from the communication device;

generating at least one of a diagnostic report, a repair report, a maintenance report, and a servicing report, with the processing device in response to the request for information; and

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transmitting the at least one of a diagnostic report, a repair report, a maintenance report, and a servicing report, to the communication device, wherein the at least one of a diagnostic report, a repair report, a maintenance report, and a servicing report, is transmitted to the communication device on or over at least one of the Internet and the World Wide Web.

Claims 12-20 (Canceled)

Claim 21. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the processing device processes information regarding at least one of a subsequent repair, a maintenance procedure, and a servicing procedure, and further wherein the processing device stores the information regarding the at least one of a subsequent repair, a maintenance procedure, and a servicing procedure, in the memory device.

Claim 22. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the memory device contains information regarding at least one of a single vehicle and a plurality of vehicles.

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Claim 23. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the communication device is at least one of a personal computer, a home computer, a server computer, a network computer, a hand-held computer, a palmtop computer, a laptop computer, a personal communication device, a personal digital assistant, a telephone, a digital telephone, a display telephone, a video telephone, a videophone, a 3G telephone, a television, an interactive television, a beeper, a pager, and a watch.

Claim 24. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the memory device comprises a comprehensive vehicle maintenance database.

Claim 25. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the processing device generates at least one of a maintenance reminder message and a service reminder message.

Claim 26. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim

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Claim 27. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the apparatus transmits a signal to at least one of a vehicle computer and a vehicle electronic command computer, and further wherein the apparatus uploads vehicle information from the at least one of a vehicle computer and a vehicle electronic command computer.

Claim 28 (Canceled)

Claim 29. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the processing device determines a feasibility of performing at least one of a repair, a maintenance procedure, and a servicing procedure, on the vehicle.

Claim 30. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein the memory device stores information regarding at least one of a vehicle service provider, a provider of specialized services, a vehicle part provider, a vehicle equipment provider, a vehicle component provider, and a vehicle accessory provider, wherein the receiver receives a request for

at least one of a vehicle service provider, a provider of specialized services, a vehicle parts provider, a vehicle equipment provider, a vehicle component provider, and a vehicle accessory provider, wherein the processing device processes the request utilizing the information regarding the at least one of a vehicle service provider, a provider of specialized service, a vehicle parts provider, a vehicle equipment provider, a vehicle component provider, and a vehicle accessory provider, wherein the processing device generates at least one of a second message to provide information to a user and a third message to provide information to a provider, and further wherein the transmitter for transmitting at least one of the second message to the communication device and the third message to a second communication device associated with a provider.

Claim 31. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11, further comprising:

processing information regarding a subsequent repair, a maintenance procedure, and a servicing procedure; and

storing the information regarding a subsequent repair, a maintenance procedure, and a servicing procedure.

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Claim 32. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11, wherein the communication device is at least one of a personal computer, a home computer, a server computer, a network computer, a hand-held computer, a palmtop computer, a laptop computer, a personal communication device, a personal digital assistant, a telephone, a digital telephone, a display telephone, a video telephone, a videophone, a 3G telephone, a television, an interactive television, a beeper, a pager, and a watch.

Claim 33. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11, further comprising:

generating at least one of a maintenance reminder message and a service reminder message.

Claim 34. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 33, further comprising:

transmitting the at least one of a maintenance reminder message and a service reminder message to the communication device.

Claim 35. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11, further comprising:

transmitting a signal to at least one of a vehicle computer and a vehicle electronic command computer; and

uploading vehicle information from the at least one of a vehicle computer and a vehicle electronic command computer.

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Claim 36. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11, further comprising:

determining a feasibility of performing at least one of a repair, a maintenance procedure, and a servicing procedure, on the vehicle.

Claim 37. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 11, further comprising:

storing information regarding at least one of a vehicle service provider, a provider of specialized services, a vehicle part provider, a vehicle equipment provider, a vehicle component provider, and a vehicle accessory provider;

receiving a request for at least one of a vehicle service provider, a provider of specialized services, a vehicle parts

provider, a vehicle equipment provider, a vehicle component provider, and a vehicle accessory provider;

processing the request utilizing the information regarding the at least one of a vehicle service provider, a provider of specialized service, a vehicle parts provider, a vehicle equipment provider, a vehicle component provider, and a vehicle accessory provider; and

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generating at least one of a second message to provide information to a user and a third message to provide information to a provider.

Claim 38. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 37, further comprising:

transmitting at least one of the second message to the communication device and the third message to a second communication device associated with a provider.

Claim 39. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of Claim 1, wherein ~~at least one of the apparatus is utilized in connection with a wireless communication network and the~~ communication device is a wireless ~~communication~~ device.
